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The utmost care is taken to procure authentic information from all the mining districts of British Columbia, and every exertion made to obtain reliable statistics respecting the country generally.

The British Columbian.

NEW WESTMINSTER, WEDNESDAY, NOV. 16, 1864.

RESIN AND TURPENTINE.

At the suggestion of the Board of Trade, the most powerful commercial association known to the world, the Colonial Minister has caused to be promulgated throughout Her Majesty's colonial possessions a tabular statement showing the quantities of resin and turpentine imported into the United Kingdom during the five years ending 1863. The object of this paper is to show the great decrease in quantity, and consequent increase in price, arising out of the stoppage of the supply which was formerly drawn from the Southern States of America, and thereby stimulate the development of this resource throughout the colonies. From these tables it appears that in 1859 the quantity obtained from the United States was 1,102,389 cwts., while the total from all other sources during the same period was but 41,063 cwts. In 1863 the quantity received from the States had fallen as low as 2,389 cwts., the total from all sources being only 412,731 cwts., or a fraction over one-third of the imports of 1859. This tremendous falling off in the supply from the States of America, caused by the present war, has been most largely met by an increased export from France. Thus the quantity drawn from that country has advanced from 4,258 cwts. in 1859, to 370,099 cwts. in 1863. The quantity drawn from the British colonies, if any, has been so infinitesimal that it does not figure as a distinct item at all. But if the falling off in quantity has been so enormous, the increase in price has been even more startling. While the computed value of the 1,143,452 cwts. imported during 1859 is set down at £470,447, the 412,731 cwts. imported during 1863 is estimated at £569,289. It is not surprising that results so astounding should have led to an appeal to the colonial possessions, and it is to be hoped that as in the matter of cotton, so in this, the result will be the development of a dormant source of wealth, existing to a greater or less extent in several of the colonies. Of course our object in alluding to this subject is to promote, if possible, the manufacture of resin and turpentine in this colony. There are, perhaps, few countries in the world possessing a more abundant supply of the raw material than British Columbia, with her thousands of square miles of highly resinous fir, extending along a seacoast of 500 miles, indented by innumerable inlets and arms, affording extraordinary facilities for both manufacture and shipping. That the Douglas fir is highly charged with gum, every one acquainted with it can testify. This gum is frequently found in seams or cavities of large trees, in great quantities; so much so that upon cutting some of them it has been known to flow out in bucketfuls. We feel assured that a fair trial would prove the capability of British Columbia to contribute her quota towards making up the deficiency in the supply of these articles, and with very satisfactory results to those who may embark in this branch of manfacture.

New Advertisements.

TO BE SOLD FOR $1000.

(TERMS—HALF CASH, AND BALANCE WITHIN 12 MONTHS.)

THE PROPERTY FORMERLY KNOWN AS THE STANISLAUS HOUSE, on the Douglas Portage, together with about 4 acres of Land, fenced and partly cleared, around the house, and growing No. 1 Vegetables. There is also about 10 acres more adjoining. The place has the advantage of being well located for obtaining a share of the public patronage as well as being a regular team stand for the Douglas teams. For further particulars apply to JONATHAN MOREY, at the R. E. Camp, New Westminster, or to W. E. STEIN, At the Hot Springs, Douglas Portage, British Columbia.
September 30, 1864. oc1tc

GEORGE HOOPER,

LAND AGENT, &C.

BEGS TO INFORM THE PUBLIC THAT HE HAS on hand, for private sale, a large number of

TOWN & SUBURBAN LOTS!

and in many cases is authorised to deal liberally with purchasers. se14tc

NOTICE.

AFTER THIS DATE, URIAH NELSON & CO. ARE not responsible for damage on Oils or Liquids shipped in Tin.
URIAH NELSON & CO.
Port Douglas, May 2, 1864. my4tc

New Advertisements.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the By-Law imposing a Tax of Two per Cent. upon the assessed value of property in the City of New Westminster for the Municipal year 1864-5 has this day been confirmed, and that the Taxes are now due and payable forthwith at the Collector's office.

All Taxes remaining unpaid one month from this date will be placed in the hands of the proper authorities for collection.
THOS. McMICKING, Collector.
New Westminster, October 14, 1864. oc15 1m

NOTICE TO MARINERS!

ENTERING

FRASER RIVER.

BEACONS (formed with clusters of piles) having been constructed on the Fraser River Sands, the following sailing directions are published for general information:—

On the South Sand there are 3 Beacons.
On the North Sand there are 5 Beacons.
Numbered consecutively from 1 to 8.

No. 1, South Sand Head, placed in 7 feet low water, ½ a cable .N.W.½W of Buoy distinguished by a pole elevated 20 feet above the piles on which is fixed a large Cask, the pole, cask and one pile painted RED.

No. 2, North Sand Head, ½ a cable to the West of Buoy, placed in 5 feet at low water, distinguished by a large Diamond, formed with boards, elevated on a pole 20 feet above the piles. This Beacon is all BLACK.

No. 3, North Sand, about half the distance between Chequered and Black Buoy, distinguished by White and Black horizontal stripes, placed in 6 feet at low water.

No. 4, North Sand, nearly abreast of Black top Buoy, is a Black Top Beacon, 1 cable distant, placed in 5 feet at low water. The top being a Black triangle, formed with broad slats on a White pole, elevated 16 feet above the piles, which are whitewashed.

No. 5, North Sand, on the Spit, 1¼ cable S.W. of Red top Buoy, is a Red Top Beacon, which is placed in 5 feet at low water, distinguished by a large Cask, painted RED, elevated on a White pole, 10 feet above the piles, the upper part of the piles being whitewashed.

No. 6, North Sand, 1 cable distant, N.N.W. of Buoy, distinguished by a large triangle, the apex of which is on the lower part of the pole, and formed with White boards, elevated 15 feet above the piles. This Beacon is all WHITE, and makes a conspicuous object either for entering or leaving the river.

No. 7, South Sand, is a BLACK Beacon, placed in 6 feet at low water, having only a St. Andrews Cross, elevated on a pole 10 feet above the piles.

No. 8, South Sand, about a cable length from No. 7, placed in 1 foot at low water, is a WHITE Beacon, formed with a St. Andrews Cross, as above. As these Beacons, Nos. 7 and 8, are intended to lead Vessels of large draught over the Bar in the deepest water, they are hereafter alluded to as †Beacons.

All Buoys and Beacons on the North side of the Channel are to be passed on the Port hand.

The instructions issued by Captain Richards, R. N., in the V. I. and B. C. Pilot, are still applicable for entering Fraser River. The Beacons constructed on the Sands, indicating the locality of the Buoys, remove a great difficulty hitherto experienced by navigators in distinguishing the several Buoys.

For Vessels of large draught the †Beacons will be found invaluable, as by taking care to port sufficiently soon, so as to cross when in a line, they will lead over the Bar carrying from 19 to 22 feet at HIGH WATER (in all other parts of the Channel much deeper water will be found). After the Red Top Beacon is brought in a line with the White Beacon, the Buoy may be with safety rounded; then steer in direction for the White Buoy and Beacon, and from thence to Garry Point.
JAMES COOPER, Harbormaster.
New Westminster, Sept. 29, 1864. oc8ey

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Fraser River Sands.

THE WHITE BEACON recently constructed, and distinguished in the Sailing Directions as No. 6, has disappeared.
no8ey JAMES COOPER, Harbormaster.
☞ Victoria Colonist, Chronicle & Express copy.

DOUGLAS-LILLOOET ROUTE.

PEMBERTON HOUSE, PORT PEMBERTON!

THIS OLD ESTABLISHED HOUSE is now kept by the undersigned, who guarantees that its past reputation as a FIRST CLASS HOTEL shall be well maintained by him; and he is desirous of securing to the public that amount of comfort and accommodation for both ladies and gentlemen that the traveller both desires and expects. He will further guarantee that no one shall leave his house without getting "value received" for his money, and that in the shape of a good meal, good lodging, and attention to his wants at a fair remuneration.

There are also private rooms for families, and for those who desire them. There is a Bar attached to the House, with good Liquors, Cigars, etc., etc., and a Bagatelle table for their use and diversion.

The undersigned hopes for a fair share of patronage, and that the merits of this route, in the accommodation, ease and quickness of travel which it affords, will be appreciated by the travelling public.
au13tc WILLIAM SMITH.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS holding Bills or Accounts against SEATER & KILLY, and also against LANE & Co., will please present them for collection on or before the 28th of November next.
Fort Yale, October 28th, 1864. oc26 1m

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED begs to inform the inhabitants of New Westminster, and the public, that he is always ready to attend any orders for MASONRY WORK, in Brick, Stone or Plastering. Furnaces, Ovens and Kilns particularly attended to. Any person requiring work in the above line will please leave their orders at the office of Geo. Hooper, Auctioneer.
JONATHAN MOREY.
je29 tc

ANDERSON & Co.,

HAVE NOW IN STOCK and will keep continuously Byass Porter and Ale, Martell and other Brandies, Scotch Whiskey, Rum, &c.
WHARF ST., VICTORIA.
oc31

New Advertisements.

LONDON HOUSE.

JULY 21, 1864.

We have now ready our Large Stock of DRAPERY GOODS received by the "Royal Charlie;" they are all in perfect order, and in consequence of their late arrival will be Sold at very Low Prices for Cash.

WHOLESALE & RETAIL

J. H. TURNER & Co.,
au17 6, FORT STREET.

PICHT & HOYT,

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.,
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN
Spirits, Wines, Ales and Segars.

BRANDIES—French, H. & F. Martell, Pelevoisin and American in bulk and cases;
RUM—Jamaica and other brands;
WHISKEY—Scotch, Irish, Bourbon and Monongahela in bulk and cases;
GIN—Holland in bulk and cases;
OLD TOM—Different brands;
WINES—Port, Sherry, California wines, various brands;
CHAMPAGNE, PORTER & ALES—Different brands;
SYRUPS & BITTERS—All kinds;
HAVANNA SEGARS—Different brands.

PICHT & HOYT,

New Westminster, B. C.,

BREWERS & MALTSTERS,

AND DEALERS IN
Brewer Stock;
DISTILLERS,
AND DEALERS IN
DOUBLE REFINED SPIRITS,
40° over proof, superior to any;
—ALSO,—
REFINED ALCOHOL
in Tins, 95 per cent. ap2tc

THE ORIGINAL

PIONEER

GOVERNMENT BAKERY

Lytton Square, New Westminster.

THE UNDERSIGNED, having taken over the above business from Mr. P. Hick, hopes, by strict attention to business, to merit a continuance of public patronage.

☞ Orders for WEDDINGS and PARTIES promptly attended to.
W. HARVEY.
New Westminster, Dec. 4, 1863. de5-tc

LOWE BROTHERS,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
AND IMPORTERS OF
Provisions, Groceries, French Wines,
LIQUORS AND HAVANA CIGARS,
RIED'S BLOCK, WHARF STREET.
ap6 VICTORIA, V.I. tc

New Advertisements.

COLONIAL HOTEL,

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.

Messrs. Grelley Brothers

Have added to their comfortable

Hotel and Restaurant;

A SPLENDID

Billiard Saloon,

In which will always be found the best

DRINKS AND CIGARS.

In connection with the above they have opened a Store stocked with the choicest Brands of

WINES, LIQUORS,
ALES, PORTER,
BRANDIES, RUM,
CIDER, SYRUPS,
CORDIALS, BITTERS, &c.,

which they will sell by the bottle, gallon, or in case.

—ALSO—
THE BEST BRANDS OF
CIGARS,
Havanna, Manilla and Cheroots.
New Westminster, July 18, 1862. jy19

THE

LARGEST, FINEST

—AND—

CHEAPEST ASSORTMENT

—OF—

WATCHES,

JEWELRY,

—AND—

SILVER-WARE,

—AT—

JUNGERMAN'S,

mh23 YATES ST., VICTORIA, V. I. 6m

BONDED WAREHOUSE.

HENRY HOLBROOK,
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
LIVERPOOL WHARF,
NEW WESTMINSTER.

BONDED AND FREE STORAGE for 600 tons Goods Every accommodation given to Goods landed on the Liverpool Wharf, for shipment up river.

A large assortment of Goods for sale at Victoria prices, with the duty added

W. J. ARMSTRONG,

COLUMBIA STREET,
NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.,
IMPORTER,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,
HARDWARE, CROCKERY,
GLASSWARE, AND
Oilman's Stores,

Would call the particular attention of Up-river Merchants, Steamboat Owners and others to his Stock, and ascertain the prices before purchasing elsewhere.

N. B.—Fresh Garden Seeds Just received and for sale.
W. J. ARMSTRONG.
New Westminster, March 27th, 1863. ma28-tc

Victoria Advertisements.

THE

Royal Insurance Company.

—FOR—

Fire & Life Insurance.

CAPITAL - - - - - Ten Million Dollars!

HEAD OFFICES,—Liverpool and London.

CHAIRMAN,
Charles Turner, Esq., M. P.
DEPUTY CHAIRMEN,
Ralph Brocklebank, Esq., & E. Johnston, Esq.
MANAGER AND ACTUARY,
PERCY M. DOVE, ESQ.

THE DIRECTORS HAVE APPOINTED the UNDERsigned their Agents for

Vancouver Island & British Columbia,

and will now accept proposals for Insurance both in the

Fire and Life Departments.

They feel confident that the known Standing and Character of this Office, the sound principles on which it is established and the magnitude of its resources, will obtain for it a fair share of public patronage.

James Dickson, Esq., M. D., has been appointed Medical Examiner to the Life Branch.
ANDERSON & CO.,
Wharf Street.
Victoria, 20th January, 1863. ja24

EXPRESS.

DIETZ & NELSON'S

British Columbia & Victoria Express,

CONNECTING AT VICTORIA WITH

Wells Fargo & Co.,

FOR

CALIFORNIA, OREGON, ATLANTIC STATES & EUROPE;

AND AT YALE AND LILLOOET WITH

BARNARD'S CARIBOO EXPRESS,

FOR

Cariboo and the Northern Mines,

CONVEYING Treasure, Valuables, Letters, Packages and Parcels;
PURCHASING of Drafts and Bills of Exchange from Wells Fargo & Co., and other Banking Houses;
COLLECTING Drafts, Notes of Hand, Debts, &c.
EXECUTING Commissions, Orders, Enquiries;
FORWARDING of Merchandise, Packages, Parcels, &c;
ATTENDING to the Registration of Mortgages, Deeds, and other Documents, the Assaying of Gold Dust, Silver and other Ores;
PARTICULAR attention given to the purchasing of Goods at New Westminster, B. C., and Victoria, V. I., on the most favorable terms, and shipping to destination;
LANDING WARRANTS Prepared and Goods passed through the Custom House without delay.
New Westminster, March 13th, 1863. ma14 tc

NOTICE.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE that the Brick Building on Lytton Square, New Westminster, in the possession of Mr. THOMAS HARRIS, of Victoria, will, from and after this date, no longer be used as a Bonded Warehouse.
Custom House, July 29th, 1864.

THE ABOVE FIRE-PROOF WAREHOUSE WILL be open for General Storage after this date.
PIONEER WHARF, HARRIS & CO.
New Westminster, August 5, 1864. au6tc

CITY BAKERY

—AND—

COFFEE SALOON.

THE UNDERSIGNED begs to inform his friends, and the public generally, that he has removed to his new and commodious establishment on the

Corner of Columbia and Hall Streets,

where he hopes to receive from a generous and discriminating public an extended patronage, commensurate with his increased facilities for accommodating them.

Coffee, Tea, Chocolate, Pies and Cakes,

supplied at all hours, and at reduced rates.

☞ Orders for WEDDINGS and PARTIES promptly attended to.
JOSEPH SOREL.
New Westminster, March 3, 1863. ma4

COAL OIL! COAL OIL!!

JUST RECEIVED, from San Francisco direct, 500 gals. No. 1 Chicopee Coal Oil, in first rate order, which we will sell to traders at lower prices than it can be laid down here from Victoria.
PICHT & HOYT.

N. B.—We shall always have a stock of the same on hand.
New Westminster, April 1, 1864. ap2tc

THE BRITISH COLUMBIAN.

This journal is published every Wednesday and Saturday, at the office, Lytton Square, New Westminster. Single copy, price 6d., or 12½ cents. Terms per quarter, 16s., or $3.50; half-yearly, 18s., or $7.50, and yearly £1 10s., or $7.50. Subscriptions must be paid in advance.

☞ Copies of this paper can be had at the Book Store of Messrs. Clarkson & Co., Columbia-street.

ADVERTISING RATES.

Transient Advertisements, 2 inches and under, $2 first insertion, and one dollar each subsequent insertion. Over two inches, $1 per inch for first insertion, and half a dollar for each subsequent insertion. Special contracts with regular advertisers.

Advertisements in order to ensure insertion, should be sent in before noon of the day before publication.

All Advertisements for insertion in the BRITISH COLUMBIAN must be paid in advance. Those for longer periods than one month are required to be paid each month in advance.

All Advertisements, unless the time for which they are to be inserted is specified, will be continued until ordered out, and so charged.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY.

Notice—Thomas Stodard.

The British Columbian.

NEW WESTMINSTER, WEDNESDAY, NOV. 16, 1864.

THE VICTORIA POLICE.

Every day but affords fresh grounds for thankfulness on our part that the last political tie between these two colonies has been severed, as every revolution of the wheel throws up to public gaze some new phase of the putridity of the body politic of our unfortunate sister colony. A glance at the last four years of its history conjures up a most revolting picture. To Governor Kennedy has been assigned the truly herculean task of sweeping out the Augean stables. One might have hoped that with the elimination of the arch-rogues, the work would have been accomplished; but recent events would tend to show that in its untold ramifications, the science of corruption extends down to the lowest minion in the public service. We are induced to believe that, for a series of years, the Police force of the island has been an organized swindle, under which misdeeds of every sort have been licensed, and that all that was necessary in order to indulge in crime with impunity—nay, with security—under the special patronage and protection of the authorities, was to pay well. Thus, we find, as far back as 1862 a man who was engaged in selling whisky, so-called, to the Indians, saying: "I am engaged in selling liquor to the Indians; but, as I cannot make the traffic sufficiently remunerative to pay the Police the necessary hush-money, I must give it up." Recent revelations throw a flood of light upon our seaboard troubles. We have long believed and asserted that Victoria was little less than the headquarters of an organized gang of smugglers, who were systematically defrauding our revenue and demoralizing our Indian population along the coast. The correctness of that opinion is now more than confirmed. That the extraordinary arrangement by which vessels trading upon our seaboard were permitted to clear in another colony was an admirable cloak for the perpetration of systematic fraud and legalized crime, there can be no doubt. Under that most convenient arrangement no one will doubt that cargoes of merchandize and thousands of gallons of deleterious poison were sent to the north-west coast of this colony, which never paid the first dollar of excise, if we except the "hush-money" pocketed by those whose duty it was to bring the criminals to condign punishment. Is it with that debauched and diseased piece of frailty, from which we but yesterday, and that with so much difficulty, obtained a divorce, that we are asked to re-unite? In common decency let the propounders of union of any kind at least wait until the days of her purification are ended. Let her first be purged from the disease which has been, for years, gnawing at her vitals. The process may be long, the ordeal trying—but the issue is inevitable. We do not charge these iniquities against the people of the sister colony. Many of them have fought manfully for that emancipation the fruits of which they hope soon to enjoy. The fearful state of things which has so blighted the island is the natural result of the policy of the late Governor, in gathering around him such an unprincipled gang as at one time were the recipients of his patronage. The new Governor was not long in applying the pruning-knife to this upas tree. Branch after branch has been quietly lopped off; and now, that the rank undergrowth is reached, the polluted mass stands forth in all its unrobed putridity. Let Governor Kennedy persevere in the course he appears to have marked out for himself, and something may yet be saved upon which to build up a virtuous and prosperous colony. Till that is done let us hear nothing more about union.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS indebted to the undersigned are requested to settle their bills by the 15th of December, as on that date all bills standing will be put in suit for collection without fail.

THOS. STODARD.

New Westminster, November, 15, 1854. no16td

NOTICE.

THE FIRM OF ROPER & CO., of Victoria, V. I., Clothiers, have no interest in the Hotel at the 108 Mile Post, B. C., and JOHN HENRY BROWN, of the firm of Roper & Co. will not be responsible for any debts which may be contracted on account thereof. 3

TAKE NOTICE

THAT on and after this date I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by either of my partners on account of GOULDING & Co., without my consent.

JAMES CHAPMAN.

Tenass Lake, B. C., Aug. 24, 1864. au27tc

Selling off at Cost!

The Largest Stock in New Westminster, consisting in part of Dry Goods, Millinery, Haberdashery, Clothing, Ribbons, Hosiery, Ladies', Children's and Gents' Boots and Shoes, Yankee Notions, Groceries, etc., etc.

At **H. EICKHOFF'S,** ***Front Street.***

se24tc

A CURE FOR

HARD TIMES.

PAY AS YOU GO!

BELIEVING that the Credit business is alike injurious to the buyer and the seller, by causing the former to pay more for his purchases, in fact, compelling those who do pay to pay also for those who don't, and by tempting him to buy more than he would if he paid down: to the latter by making bad debts, and by depriving him of the use of his means, and thus preventing him from buying on the best terms,

THE subscribers have determined that after the

FIRST DAY OF DECEMBER

next they will close their books, and sell no more on credit, but sell for

CASH ONLY;

and in order to induce purchasers to deal with them, they will dispose of their present stock at COST and CHARGES. All outstanding accounts will be made out and ready for delivery on the 1st of December, and must be settled by CASH or NOTE immediately, as all accounts unsettled and notes past due on the 15th of December next will be put in *suit for collection without fail.*

UNWILLING as the subscribers are to make costs, this course is absolutely necessary to enable them to meet their obligations.

CLUTE & MAJOR,

Columbia Street.

no12 New Westminster, November 12th, 1864. 4c

HYACK FIRE COMPANY NO. 1.

THE annual election of Officers of the above named Fire Company will take place on WEDNESDAY NEXT, the 16th inst., at which a full attendance is requested. Any parties having bills against the Company are requested to send them in.

no12 2in G. C. CLARKSON, Secretary.

SEASONED LUMBER.

400,000 FEET

SEASON'D LUMBER

Rough & Dressed, For Sale By

J. A. R. HOMER.

New Westminster, November 3, 1864. no5tc

LUMBER!

FOR SALE.

5,000,000 FEET ROUGH,

3,000,000 FEET DRESS'D,

In lots to suit, for Exportation.

no5tc J. A. WEBSTER & CO.

TO LET.

THE COLUMBIA HOTEL!

THIS LARGE HOUSE is advantageously situated for a FIRST CLASS HOTEL, being only a short distance from the wharf on Lytton Square. It has just undergone a thorough renovation, and, if requisite, can be further improved and enlarged. This affords a good opportunity to any person who understands the business to make a small fortune, as the rent will be moderate. The Hotel contains ample furniture, which can be purchased upon the most favorable terms. For particulars apply on the premises. se19tc

LOCHLOMOND HOUSE!

AT THE

Seventy-four-mile Post

ON THE

Lillooet-Alexander Road.

THE PROPRIETOR calls the attention of travellers to Cariboo to this House, which is just opened for the travelling public, where GOOD MEALS can be had at all hours, with all the delicacies of the season.

THE BAR

will contain CIVILITY, and the best

LIQUORS AND CIGARS.

This is the first house within 15 miles where good water can be obtained, and, being 27 miles above the Junction, affords a comfortable and convenient stopping place.

Packers, Stagers and Teamsters are informed that they will find good stabling and the best of provender, as well as an excellent run for cattle on the grounds.

The strictest attention will be paid to the comfort of those who may patronize the Lochlomond House.

JOHN McMURPHY.

Lochlomond, British Columbia, March, 1863. tc.

A CARD.

I BEG TO RETURN MY SINCERE & GRATEFUL thanks to the inhabitants of New Westminster and British Columbia in general, for the numerous and highly esteemed favors received at their hands since my entering into business in 1859, under the firm of HARRIS & CO., Butchers and Cattle Dealers; and at the same time to inform them that I have this day disposed of my business to DICKINSON BROTHERS, who, I am assured, will use their utmost endeavors to justify the future support of those who may honor them with their patronage.

October 1, 1864. THOS. HARRIS.

DICKINSON BROTHERS,

IN SUCCEEDING TO THE BUSINESS LATELY carried on by Mr. Harris, would most respectfully assure the inhabitants of New Westminster and British Columbia generally that it will be their utmost aim and endeavor satisfactorily to merit a continuance of the support so liberally bestowed on their predecessor.

DICKINSON BROTHERS.

New Westminster, October 1, 1864. oc8tc

FURNITURE, BEDDING

—AND—

WILLOW-WARE.

WITHROW & TILLEY,

HAVING just received a large stock of beautiful Furniture and Willow-ware, direct from foreign markets, are selling at such prices as will induce the citizens of New Westminster, and the people of British Columbia generally, to purchase here instead of going to another market.

JUST ARRIVED!

Fine Rosewood and Mahogany Parlor Suits; an assortment of fine Bed-room Suits, consisting of Oak, Chesnut, and plain painted; Sofas, Bureaus, Whatnots, Piano Stools, Hat-trees, Centre and Card Tables, Toilet and Saloon Tables, Dining Extension Tables, Cradles, Cribs, and a large assortment of Oak, Mahogany and Wood Chairs; Bedsteads of every description; and, in fact, nearly everything in THE FURNITURE LINE.

ALSO,—A fine assortment of Willow-ware, Gilt and Rosewood Picture Frame Moulding, different sized Looking-glass Plate, Mahogany & Walnut Boards & Veneers.

ALSO,—Feathers, Hair, Pulú and Straw Mattresses always on hand and manufactured to order. Furniture manufactured and repaired. Pictures framed, Maps mounted and varnished. Undertaking promptly attended to.

Persons intending to purchase would do well to call and see our stock before going elsewhere.

oc22tc WITHROW & TILLEY.

ELLIOTT, STEWART & CO.,

BREWERS, VICTORIA, V. I.,

HAVE INSTRUCTED

MR. GEO. HOOPER,

their Agent for BRITISH COLUMBIA, that their new

SEASON'S ALE

is in excellent condition, and ready for drawing.

This Ale is giving immense satisfaction, and can be obtained either in BOTTLE or in WOOD by application to

GEO. HOOPER,
Auction Rooms,
Millard's Buildings.

New Westminster, November 4th, 1864. no5tc

EXPRESS, FREIGHT

—AND—

PASSENGER LINE

STAGES.

AFTER THE FIRST DAY OF MAY, 1864, THE Coaches of this Line will run as follows:

UP TRIP:

Leave Yale on MONDAYS and FRIDAYS, at 3 a.m., Passing over the SUSPENSION BRIDGE and through the CANONS by daylight, and reaching SODA CREEK in time to connect with the stern-wheel steamer "ENTERPRISE," on THURSDAYS and MONDAYS at daylight, reaching Quesnelle City the same day.

DOWN TRIP:

Leaves SODA CREEK on the arrival of the "ENTERPRISE," on TUESDAYS and THURSDAYS, reaching YALE on THURSDAYS and SATURDAYS in time to connect with the steamers for NEW WESTMINSTER.

Passengers going *via* DOUGLAS and LILLOOET can take DIETZ & NELSON'S Express Wagons over the Portages, and connect with BARNARD'S Express Wagon at LILLOOET, on MONDAYS and FRIDAYS, noon, for CLINTON, where seats are reserved for THROUGH passages on the Stages for SODA CREEK.

Passengers from above can obtain Through tickets at Soda Creek for Lillooet and Douglas.

F. J. BARNARD.

Yale, April 30, 1864. my28 tc

CAUTION.

THE PUBLIC are cautioned against negotiating a note lost on Williams Creek, Cariboo, drawn in favor of J. M. BOHANON, bearing date Dec. 11th, 1863, given by Messrs. COXON & CO., of Lillooet. Original amount of note was $1467 57, bearing interest.

J. M. BOHANON.

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The British Columbian.

NEW WESTMINSTER, WEDNESDAY, NOV. 16, 1864.

AGRICULTURAL.

Most of our readers are aware of the existence of the New Westminster Agricultural Society, with His Excellency Governor Seymour for its Patron. This Society, it will doubtless be recollected, received, a few months ago, a shipment of seeds direct from the world-renowned Scotch House of Peter Lawson & Son, Edinburgh. The catalogue exhibits 63 different kinds of seeds, comprising cereals, and grasses, &c., of the most useful kind to pioneer settlers in this colony. These seeds, unfortunately, came to hand too late to be available for the season now closing, if we except six kinds of potatoes, which the worthy Secretary of the society (Mr. Cormack) put into the ground in the latter part of July in order to save them, and the product of which was housed last week. The seeds in great part still lie at the store of Mr. Cormack for distribution to members of the society, and it is matter of surprise that more applications have not been sent in. The Hon. Mr. Holbrook sent up to his constituents last week a package comprising 21 different varieties of seeds, including two sorts of the best malting barley known; and we have no doubt that the farmers in the Douglas-Lillooet District, who have been so fortunate as to obtain a portion of these seeds, will render a good account of them by this time next year. It is important that an accurate record of the product of these seeds should be transmitted to the society here, showing which appear best adapted for use in this country, the kind of soil best suited to particular seeds, and any other information calculated to interest the public and promote the objects of the organization. This will be the more necessary in view of an annual exhibition which we hope to see held in connection with the society. We publish the following from the *Ballarat Star*, a paper published in Victoria, Australia, which will give the reader an idea of what we mean:—"The farmers in the Ballarat district, to whom were distributed for experiment certain English seeds, have at last sent in their reports to the Ballarat Agricultural Society. Mr. Bath reports that from 1 lb of Chevalier barley he had a return of 29 lbs; from 1 lb of black Tartarian oats, 49 lbs; and 1 lb of Fenton wheat, 8 lbs. Mr. J. Murray reports that from 1 lb of Bleanshe oats he had a return of 20 lbs; from 1 lb of Talavera wheat, 5 lbs. Rust attacked the latter grain very severely. Neither the tares nor the *sandy oats* succeeded with Mr. Murray. The former were too late in being sown, and the latter, he thinks, were *destroyed* by *the richness of the soil*. Mr. Laidlaw reports that from 1 lb of English barley he had a return of 20 lbs of most excellent quality.

DEPARTURE OF GOVERNOR KENNEDY.—On Monday His Excellency Arthur E. Kennedy, Governor of Vancouver Island, accompanied by his family, took his departure on board the Vancouver Coal Company's steamer *Fideliter*. His Excellency crossed over to Nanaimo, where arrangements were made for laying the foundation stone of the new Literary Institute, which would probably be done yesterday. We have not the means of knowing what His Excellency's impressions are upon this his first visit to the capital of British Columbia; but we can assure him that, so far as he has been thrown into contact with the people here, sentiments of admiration and friendship have been the result; and, did not our own Governor stand so very high in public estimation, the people might be in danger of giving way to the sin of covetousness. We sincerely congratulate our island neighbors upon the possession of such a Governor, and would advise them to use him well. We hope also to see a frequent repetition of that friendly interchange of courtesies between the two Governors which the last few days have witnessed. *Re-unions* like these will far more effectually promote the interests of the two colonies than the political Union so much talked about by a certain party in Victoria.

VANCOUVER ITEMS.—From files of Victoria papers brought up yesterday we gather the following.—The schooner *Louisa Downs*, while entering Victoria harbor on Saturday night, struck a rock and sank in mid-channel.—The two Cowichen Indians committed for the murder of five Chimsean Indians about four months ago, have been sentenced to be hanged on the 3rd prox.—The new Mayor and Council met on the 14th, and adjourned for two weeks, to await the passage of the Act of Incorporation now in the Legislature. They have, meanwhile, dispensed with the services of certain officers, and given up the Hall, in order to save expense.—Mr. Copeland's petition to unseat Mr. Harris, and place himself in the civic chair, was discharged with costs.—Mr. Haines, Local Superintendent of the telegraph line, has returned from Seattle, W. T. The line is constructed five miles on this side of Seattle, and will be completed to New Westminster about the middle of January. The entire distance along the coast between these two places is estimated at 110 miles. It is not expected that the line will be completed to Victoria before August, 1865, but it is proposed to run an express boat from Whatcome, a distance of 40 miles.—The police investigations still go on. The Grand Jury found no bill against Sergt. Blake, but found a true bill on the second count of the indictment against Supt. Smith.—Duncombe has been sentenced to six months imprisonment for making a declaration of love to a lady of rank.

CUSTOMS RECEIPTS for week ending Saturday, November 12, 1864: Duties, £616 15 11; harbor dues, £30 10 3; head money, £24 8; tonnage dues, £18. Total, £689 14 1. Number of passengers entering at this port during same period, 122.

Later from the Kootenay Expedition.

Through the politeness of the Hon. Colonial Secretary we are enabled to lay before our readers the following interesting letter from Mr. Turner, in command of the party:—

(COPY.)

COLUMBIA RIVER, 24th Oct., 1864.

SIR,—I have the honor to inform you, for the information of His Excellency the Governor, of our safe arrival at the Columbia River on Sunday, October 23rd, having had much difficulty and detention with our Indians in crossing the divide in the Gold Range.

Having bought a quantity of provisions in Lytton, we started from that place on the 4th October, and arrived at Fort Kamloops on the 9th, where we purchased a further supply of provisions from Mr. McKay, the Hudson Bay Company's agent here, to whom I gave an order upon you for $125 25c., and trust you will duly honor the same when presented, my funds being barely sufficient to pay for Indian hire across the divide, which amounts to much more than I anticipated.

We find Lake Kamloops and Shuswap, and the river connecting them, navigable for ordinary river steamers; the shallowest water in the channel of the river being four to five feet, and confined to two bars, whose current is about 5 miles an hour. The remainder of the river is not less than twelve feet deep, with a two mile current.

The divide from Shuswap Lake to the Columbia River is quite practicable for the construction of a wagon road, the summit of the divide being about 1500 feet above the level of the lake, or 2400 feet above the sea level, and for a distance of two miles on each side covered with one to two feet of snow, which appears to have fallen about three weeks ago and is now disappearing, the weather having been remarkably fine since we left Lytton.

The length of the wagon road would be 40 to 45 miles, the summit of the divide being 15 miles from the Columbia River.

In consequence of there being no trail across the divide, and the forests having a thick underbrush with abundance of fallen trees, and all being heavily packed, especially the Indians, we were eight days in crossing from the lake to the Columbia River.

We are now engaged in constructing a canoe, there being no Indians here, and shall be detained at least three days.

I have, &c.

(Signed,) GEORGE TURNER.

The Hon. Colonial Secretary.

Later from Cariboo.

Our Cariboo advices are to the 7th, but devoid of interest. The weather on Williams Creek continued delightful. The legislative election was going on at Quesnellmouth. Foot passengers who arrived by the *Reliance* last night report that Dr. Black is elected; but we do not vouch for the correctness of the report, although we are inclined to believe it. The missing merchant, Pin, is believed to have absconded.

The Presidential Election.

We clip the following from the *British Colonist* of yesterday:—

The sloop *Foam* arrived from Seattle last night bringing us, per favor of Hon. J. R. Watson, of the Seattle *Gazette*, the following partial returns from the Presidential election. California was known to be overwhelmingly in favor of Lincoln. The Union majority is set down at 60,000. Oregon, so far as heard from, gives Lincoln large majorities over McClellan. The State sure for Lincoln by 20,000. New York city gave McClellan 25,000 majority. Lincoln's strength, however, lies in the interior, from which the returns came in but slowly. The State is supposed to have gone for Lincoln. Pennsylvania is doubtful—the soldiers' vote will decide the result. All the New England States, with Ohio, have gone for Lincoln. The result in Indiana and Illinois is doubtful. Lincoln's election is considered certain by his friends.

SHIPPING.—On the 11th the schooners *Amelia* and *Kate* cleared for Victoria, laden with shingles and lumber. On the 14th the schooner *Gen. Harney* entered to load at the New Westminster Mills. On Monday morning the str. *Fideliter*, Capt. London, arrived from Nanaimo, returning same day. On Monday morning the str. *Hope*, Capt. Devries, arrived from Yale. On Tuesday evening the str. *Reliance*, Capt. Irving, arrived from Yale. On Tuesday evening the str. *Enterprise*, Capt. Mouat, arrived from Victoria.

PERSONAL.—J. E. Brouse, Esq., M. D., went up to Yale on Saturday, with the intention of pursuing his profession in that thriving town. Mr. Brouse is a graduate of McGill College, Montreal, and a licentiate of Canada. The well known reputation of that institution, especially as respects the status of its medical graduates, renders any commendatory remarks from us quite superfluous. The recent departure of Dr. Bradshaw leaves a vacancy in Yale, and we can congratulate the inhabitants upon having that vacancy filled by a gentleman of the professional status of Dr. Brouse.

"HIYOU MOWITCH."—The number of deer brought to this market within the past week or two is something astonishing. On one day the house of Frederick Kaye & Co. took in no less than 65 carcases, and on Monday we observed in one canoe 18 carcases.

ARRIVAL OF DIETZ & NELSON'S EXPRESS.—Dietz & Nelson's express, which should have come by the steamer on Friday, but was left owing to a misunderstanding as to the time of sailing, arrived in a canoe on Saturday.—The express contained $15,000 in treasure and a large number of letters.

CULPABLE NEGLIGENCE.—It is every person's duty in this changeable climate to supply themselves with warm and comfortable clothing for the coming season. We would direct the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Clute & Major, who have the best articles in the market and are selling at the lowest prices. *

Municipal Council.

Town Hall, November 14th, 1864.

Members present: The President (Mr. Clarkson), and Councillors Dickinson, Armstrong, Robson, Miller, and Wylie.

The minutes of previous meeting were read and confirmed.

A communication was read from Coun. Ashwell tendering his resignation in consequence of his being about to leave for England. His resignation was accepted and the Clerk directed to notify Hon. C. Brew of the vacancy consequent thereon.

The committee appointed to present an address to His Excellency the Governor of Vancouver Island reported (reading the address and reply published in these columns on Saturday).

The committee appointed to lay before His Excellency the Governor a financial statement and apply for a grant of money reported progress and asked for farther time, which was granted.

The tenders for doing certain work upon that portion of Columbia street, between Hamly and Douglas streets, were opened and read. There were only two tenders, one being for $2,500, and the other, that of Mr. E. A. Sharp, for $2,400. The contract, on motion of Coun. Armstrong, was awarded to Mr. Sharp, and the Clerk was instructed to have the proper agreement made out and signed.

Coun. Murray's notice of motion respecting specifications for the Royal and Queen's Avennes was allowed to lie over for another week.

Coun. Armstrong's notice of motion to introduce specifications for Hamly street was allowed to lie over for one week.

Moved by Coun. Dickinson, seconded by Coun. Robson, and *Resolved*, That the sum of one thousand dollars with interest be paid into the Bank of British Columbia out of the first funds of the Council, and that the note given by Mr. Dickinson and Mr. Cooper for the same, be cancelled upon the restoration of Municipal Debentures held by them as collateral security.

The Clerk was instructed to take immediate proceedings in respect to all rate-payers who have not paid their taxes.

NOTICE OF MOTION.

Coun. Dickinson gave notice that at the next meeting of the Council he will bring in a resolution authorizing the President to pay the debts of the Municipal Council for 1863-4. After which the Council adjourned.

SNOW IN SEPTEMBER.—The *Huron Signal*, published in Goderich, Canada West, under date Sept. 16th, 1864, says:—"On Wednesday night last there was a slight sprinkle of snow. We have had this year only about two months entirely free from the frosty element.

TO OUR CITY PATRONS.—As Saturday's edition completed the 3rd quarter of the 4th volume of the BRITISH COLUMBIAN, city subscribers and advertisers may expect a visit from our collector in the course of this week.

FOR SIDNEY DIRECT.—The bark *Kinnaird*, Capt. Sinclair, will probably sail on Saturday. Pilot Titcomb came up last night for the purpose of taking her out of the river.

ARRIVAL OF THE "HOPE."—The str. *Hope*, Capt. Devries, arrived from Yale on Monday night, bringing 40 passengers, and a small amount of treasure.

ARRIVAL OF THE "RELIANCE."—The *Reliance*, Capt. Irving, came in from Yale last night with 104 passengers and an express for Dietz & Nelson.

ROYAL SANCTION.—Saturday's *Gazette* announces the confirmation of the following Ordinances by Her Most Gracious Majesty the Queen:—

No. 10.—An Ordinance to facilitate the formation of Mining Joint Stock Companies; No. 11. An Ordinance to declare the lawful rate of Interest in the Colony; No. 12. An Ordinance to increase the facilities for registering documents relating to real property; No. 15. An Ordinance for the relief of certain Naval and Military Settlers; No. 17. An Ordinance for the protection of Inventions.

From the same source we also clip the following:

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
10th November, 1864.

The following extract from *The London Gazette* of Friday, the 9th September, 1864, is published for general information.

By Command,
ARTHUR N. BIRCH.

FOREIGN OFFICE, September 8, 1864.

It is hereby notifed that Her Majesty has been pleased to order, that for the future, no ship of war belonging to either of the belligerent powers of North America shall be allowed to enter, or to remain, or be, in any of Her Majesty's ports for the purpose of being dismantled or sold; and Her Majesty has been pleased to give directions to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Customs, and to the Governors of Her Majesty's Colonies and foreign possessions, to see that this Order is properly carried into effect.

A MISTAKE.—Persons from the country coming to deal at the London House, having been misled as to the proper address, Messrs. Turner and Co. request them particularly to notice that their place of business is at the "LONDON HOUSE," No. 6, Fort street, *next* door to Jay's nursery store, Victoria. *

IMPORTANT NOTICE.—Mr. Arthur Bullock has just imported, and will open this day, a lot of boots and shoes which he has purchased at fifty per cent less than their value and will sell at a very small advance on cost. Especial attention is invited to a lot of Whitney coats at $3 75 each and some black broad cloth at $1 75 per yard, also a lot of dress goods, cheap. By the *Knight Bruce* from Liverpool now due at Victoria, Mr. Bullock will receive some pianos and harmoniums. *

Enoch Arden—Concluded.

Annie answers this kindly, soul-pleading appeal:—

"'You have been as God's good angel in our house.
God bless you for it—God reward you for it,
Philip, with something happier than myself.
Can any one love twice? Can you be ever loved
As Enoch was? What is it that you ask?
'I am content,' he answered, 'to be loved
A little after Enoch.' 'Oh,' she cried,
Scared as it were, 'dear Philip, wait a while.
If Enoch comes—but Enoch will not come—
Yet wait a year, a year is not to long!
Surely I shall be wiser in a year!
Oh! wait a little!' Philip sadly said,
'Annie, as I have waited all my life
I well may wait a little.' 'Nay,' she cried,
'I am bound: you have my promise—in a year.
Will you not bide your year as I bide mine?'
And Philip answered, 'I will bide my year.'"

At the expiration of the year Philip claims her promise; but she asks for a month—a month, no more,—she, however, tries his patient endurance "till half another year had slipt away," much to the chagrin of the gossips of the port, who, crossed in their calculations, view it as a kind of personal wrong. At last they are wed:

* * * * "and merrily rang the bells,
Merrily rang the bells, and they were wed."

And where was Enoch? Sailing in the ship *Good Fortune*, he makes a prosperous outward voyage, but homeward bound she is wrecked, and Enoch with two others alone survive. They drift upon an island, the "loneliest in a lonely sea;" the other two die, and Enoch is left alone. The description of the lonely isle is most exquisite—it is a perfect gem. In reading it we are instinctively reminded of the celestial vision of him who "laid the crown of earthly genius meekly at the foot of the Cross, and sprinkled the waters of Castalia upon the roses in the garden of God." We allude to Milton; and we cannot resist giving expression to the correspondency of conditions (fanciful though it may appear) between the shipwrecked sailor in his—

* * * * "Eden of all plenteousness
Dwelling with eternal summer—ill content,"

and the immortal, sightless Milton. The one with open eye looks upon an earthly Paradise, but he cannot see the "*kindly human face*:" the other, looking with the "light that never was on sea or shore" on the Eden of his own glorious creation, sadly mourns:—

"Seasons return, but not to me returns
Day or the sweet approach of even or morn,
Or sight of vernal bloom or summer's rose,
Or flocks, or herds, or *human face divine*."

But to return to our author, here is the passage:—

"The mountain wooded to the peak, the lawns
And winding glades high up like ways to Heaven,
The slender Coco's drooping crown of plumes,
The lightning flash of insect and of bird,
The lustre of the long convolvuluses
That coil'd around the stately stems, and ran
Ev'n to the limit of the land, the glows
And glories of the broad belt of the world,
All these he saw; but what he fain had seen
He could not see, the *kindly human face*,
Nor ever heard a kindly voice, but heard
The myriad shiek of wheeling ocean-fowl,
The league-long roller thundering on the reef,
The moving whisper of huge trees that branch'd
And blossomed in the zenith, or the sweep
Of some precipitous rivulet to the wave,
As down the shore he ranged, or all day long
Sat often in the seaward-gazing gorge,
A shipwrecked sailor waiting for a sail.
No sail from day to day, but every day
The sunrise broken into scarlet shafts
Among the palms and ferns and precipices;
The blaze upon the waters to the east;
The blaze upon his island overhead:
The blaze upon the waters to the west;
Then the great stars that glowed themselves in heaven,
The hollower-bellowing ocean, and again
The scarlet shafts of sunrise—but no sail."

At length a ship calls for water, and the solitary, after many years sojourn amongst the sinless groves of this lone island, is taken off. The vessel is bound for England. He mingles with the crew, and hearing them talk soon regains his almost forgotten speech. The vessel is too slow for the ardency of his desire.

* * * * * * * Evermore
His fancy fled before the lazy wind,
Returning, till beneath a clouded moon
He like a lover down thro' all his blood
Drew in the dewy, meadowy morning breath
Of England, blown across her ghostly wall."

He returns to his village, and stealing slowly down the street with the dim foreboding of a calamity hovering over his heart—reaches the home where Annie lived and loved him and where his babes were born; but he finds desolation there. He seeks a tavern, and not being recognised hears from the garrulous landlady the story of his house. He yearns to see Annie's face again:

"If I might look on her sweet face again,
And know that she is happy."

But the nobleness of his nature will not allow him to throw his sad shadow over their happiness by revealing himself. He, however, stealthily by night visits Philip's house, and there he saw:

"Cups and silver on the furnished board
Sparkled and shone; so genial was the hearth;
And on the right hand of the hearth he saw
Philip, the slighted suitor of old times,
Stout, rosy, with his babe across his knees;
And o'er her second father stoopt a girl,
A later but a loftier Annie Lee,
Fair-haired and tall, and from her lifted hand
Dangled a length of ribbon and a ring
To tempt the babe, who reared his creasy arms,
Caught at and ever miss'd it, and they laughed,
And on the left hand of the hearth he saw
The mother glancing often toward her babe,
But turning now and then to speak with him,
Her son, who stood beside her tall and strong,
And saying that which pleased him, for he smiled."

The dark thunder-cloud of despair bursts over his poor heart; he

"Stagger'd and shook, holding the branch, and fear'd
To send abroad a shrill and terrible cry,
Which in one moment, like the blast of doom,
Would shatter all the happiness of the hearth."

He turns softly like a thief and creeps to the gate—he opens and closes it as lightly as a sick man's chamber door, and when he reaches the waste

"He would have knelt but that his knees
Were feeble, so that falling prone he dug
His fingers into the wet earth.

And such a prayer! The poor, lonely, overburdened soul with impassioned earnestness thus addresses its Maker:—

"Too hard to bear! Why did they take me thence?
O God Almighty, blessed Savior! thou
That didst uphold me on my lonely isle,
Uphold me, Father, in my loneliness
A little longer! Aid me, give me strength
Not to tell her, never to let her know.
Help me not to break in upon her peace.
My children too? must I not speak to these?
They know me not. I should betray myself.
Never; no father's kiss for me—the girl
So like her mother, and the boy, my son."

Enoch works in the village, the secret of his life being undiscovered. He firmly keeps his resolve:—

"He was not all unhappy. His resolve
Upbore him, and firm faith, and evermore
Prayer from a living source within the will,
And beating up thro' all the bitter world,
Like fountains of sweet water in the sea,
Kept him a living soul."

In a short year, however, secret sorrow saps his health. Motive to labor he has none—at least that sublime motive which enobles and strengthens the humble heart to provide for its offspring. He sickens, and on his death-bed reveals himself to his landlady, making her swear that she will not reveal it till he is dead. He charges her with this message:

"I charge you now,
When you shall see her, tell her that I died
Blessing her, praying for her, loving her;
Save for the bar between us, loving her
As when she laid her head beside my arm.
And tell my daughter Annie, whom I saw
So like her mother, that my latest breath
Was spent in blessing her and praying for her.
And tell my son that I died blessing him.
And say to Philip that I blest him too;
He never meant us anything but good.
"But if my children care to see me dead,
Who hardly knew me living, let them come,
I am their father; but she must not come,
For my dead face would vex her after-life."

Then the last sad moment comes:"

He woke, he rose, he spread his arms abroad,
Crying with a loud voice "A Sail! A Sail!
I am saved!" and so fell back and spoke no more.
So past the strong heroic soul away:
And when they buried him the little port
Had seldom seen a costlier funeral."

Owing to the copious extracts given from this one poem, we have not left ourselves space to say anything about the others in the volume. They are "Aylmers Field,"—a tale of love and pride with a rather tragical and retributive end." "Sea Dreams," "The Grandmother," "Tithonus," &c., &c. But this we would say to all who love the classically elegant in poetry—become possessors of "'Enoch Arden' and other Poems," by Alfred Tennyson.

Sabbath Observance.

To the Editor of the British Columbian.

MR. EDITOR,—Is there not a law in this Colony preventing places of business being opened on the Sabbath, or business transacted on that day? If there is, why is it not enforced? In my perambulations around the city on last Sabbath, I observed several places of business in full blast, such stores being, to all appearance, closed; but upon nearer approach I discovered the doors ajar and the shop pretty well filled with purchasers. Now, I do not make this assertion from any selfish motive whatever, but upon one that should influence every right thinking person in the community, it being the keeping of the Sabbath day according to English laws and usages. If such a law be in existence in this colony, who is at fault that it is not enforced? I, being but a new resident in the colony, ask these questions somewhat for information, although I have been given to understand that such a law is actually in existence here. Hoping I will not be trespassing on your valuable space.—I am, &c. HABITANT.

New Advertisements.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

CONVEYANCE OF MAILS

THROUGH

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

SEALED TENDERS will be received at the General Post Office, New Westminster, up to 12 o'clock (noon) of the 17th day of December, 1864, for the conveyance of Letters, and the usual Government Mail matter, through British Columbia, for one year from 1st June, 1865.

1. From 1st June, 1865, to 31st October, 1865, and from 1st April, 1866, to 31st May, 1866, Mails to be dispatched from New Westminster to Williams Creek and intermediate stations every Wednesday and Saturday, at 2 o'clock p. m., arriving at Hope, Yale and Douglas the following day, Lillooet and Lytton on or before the third day, Clinton on or before the fourth day, Quesnelmouth on or before the seventh day, Williams Creek on or before the tenth day.

2. From 1st November, 1865, to 31st March, 1866, Mails to be dispatched from New Westminster 3 times a month, at intervals of not less than 10 days, or more than 12 days, arriving as above at the various up stations.

3. From 1st June to 31st October, 1865, and from 1st April to 31st May, 1866, Mails to be dispatched from Williams Creek twice a week, at intervals of not less than 3 days or more than 4 days (such days to be specified by the contractor) for New Westminster and intermediate stations, arriving at Quesnelmouth on or before the third day, Clinton on or before the fifth day, Lytton and Lillooet on or before the sixth day, Douglas, Yale and Hope on or before the eighth day, New Westminster on or before the tenth day.

4. From 1st November, 1865, to 31st March, 1866, Mails to be dispatched from Williams Creek 3 times a month, at intervals of not less than 10 days or more than 12 days, arriving as above at the various down stations.

5. When the navigation is interrupted by ice, the service up and down will only be required 3 times a month, and less if the Postmaster-General deems it sufficient.

6. The contractor to furnish at least two approved sureties in the sum of £1,000 for the *bona fide* character of his tender, and for the due performance of his contract, and to be subject to the usual conditions in Government postal contracts.

All further information necessary can be obtained at the General Post Office, New Westminster.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WARNER R. SPALDING,
Postmaster-General, B. C.

New Westminster, October 14, 1864. oc15 td

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The British Columbian.

NEW WESTMINSTER, WEDNESDAY, NOV. 16, 1864.

Clippings from Canadian Exchanges.

FOUND AMONG THE SLAIN.—The following touching lines were found upon the body of a possumin' conscript who was spread out upon the gory sod at Chesterfield after the big fight. The noble martyr, after permitting himself to be searched according to battle-field usage, came to and was subsequently conveyed to Castle Thunder, where he is now doing as well as could be expected:

DE PROFUNDIS.

I would not be a generawl,
With gold braid on my hat;
It takes to sharp a feller, and
I'm rather slow for that.

I would not be a curlonel,
With stars upon my kote,
Because they never mentions him
In Borygod's report.

I would not be an officer
In any companee;
Responsibility's too grate
Entirely for me.

I would not be a solgier,
And having to be drilled:
Because he'd never get his dues
Until he's gone and killed.

I think I'd rather stay at bome,
Wheze I can sleep at night;
And leave the korz to Providence,
And them that wants to fight.

LAZARUS BILLUDS.

Formerly a humble citizen, but now a konscript, Company D, Borygod's army.

THE CHAUDIERE GOLD MINES.—Mr. E. H. Murney, writing from Quebec to the Belleville *Chronicle* respecting the Chaudiere gold mines, says:—"The diggings on the Gilbert still continue to be very remunerative, and the general yield constantly increasing. Nuggets from 6 to 8 ounces in weight are frequently being found. It it said that since the 15th of June the yield amongst 300 miners has been from $1,200 to $1,400 per day. Some days the yield has been as high as $3,000. A discovery of far more importance than the alluvial diggings has been made within the last month; an assay was made in New York of some samples of quartz from some mines near the Chaudiere river, and they gave as a result $15 in Gold, and $22 in silver, or $37 of both metals to the ton, which is very rich. A company is about commencing immediate operations for taking out qtartz this fall and winter, and will have a large mill ready for working in the spring. This discovery will cause more attention to be paid to the numerous quartz veins which run through the gold formation, and the consequence will be that before long there will be a good deal of permanent gold mining."

CANADIAN PEARLS.—A Quebec paper has the following:—"Our rivers and harbors along the coast are studded with pearls. During the last season, excursionists to Cacouna, and River du Loup, where shown pearls found in the streams emptying into the St. Lawrence in the neighborhood—real genuine pearls—which were sold for prices ranging from five to one hundred dollars. The finest we have seen is now in the poesession of Mr. Motz, found at River du Loup. It is larger than the largest pea, is perfectly round and is a most brilliant gem, perhaps the best of its kind in American. These pearls are discovered inside the shell of the fresh water clam, which are to be found in Kamouraska and other places."

FARINI AT OTTAWA.—Yesterday Farini crossed the Chudiere Falls, at Ottawa, on a rope 740 feet long, and 120 from the water, in the presence of 12,000 spectators. He walked blindfolded in a sack, and also with baskets on his feet In the evening he was to cross amidst fire-works. There was great excitement.

Among the passengers by the *Hibernian* was the Ven. Archdeacon Gilson, so long resident in Montreal. He has been recently appointed Archdeacon of Vancouver, in the diocese of British Columbia, and is *en route* with his family to commence his duties in that far off Pacific colony, taking the opportunity to spend some days among his Montreal friends ere crossing to the other side of the continent. Many in Montreal will wish him God speed whithersoever the work of his Master may call him.—*Montreal Gazette.*

A wealthy gentleman in New Jersey, a few days since, enlisted as a substitute a stalwart and patriotic Canadian, paying him $800, and expending a considerable sum for an outfit. When they parted the recruit promised, at the request of his principal, to write at the first opportunity The gentleman was a little surprised at receiving a letter from his man, dated Quebec, informing him that his money had enabled the substitute and his wife to set up a corner grocery, and they were doing well, and if his patron would give him a call, he should have a drink gratis. The letter concluded as follows:

P. S. them rebills is a set of Skoundrels an ought to bee put down an ef yeu Yanks can't do it just send for a lot of us canadians and wee will do it for yeu.—Yures, J. c.

CORIN & HOYWARD,
JAMES BAY SAW - MILL!
VICTORIA, V. I.
THE TRADE supplied with Doors, Windows, Flooring, &c., &c. Agent at New Westminster—Mr. ARTHUR BULLOCK. oc22 im

THE BRITISH COLUMBIAN.

New Advertisements.

HICK'S HOTEL!
Lytton Square, New Westminster, B. C.
THE SUBSCRIBER begs to inform the Public, and especially the Travelling Community, that he has just opened the above central and well known establishment, where he hopes, by reasonable charges and strict attention to the comfort of his customers, to receive a share of public patronage.
THE BAR
is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars.
PHILIP HICK, Proprietor.
New Westminster, Sept. 22, 1864. se24tc

THE BANK
—OF—
BRITISH COLUMBIA
INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER.
CAPITAL, - - - $1,250,000,
IN 12,500 SHARES OF $100 EACH,
WITH POWER TO INCREASE.
BRANCHES AND AGENTS:
IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.
NEW WESTMINSTER—Bank of British Columbia.
QUESNELLE MOUTH—Ditto.
CAMERONTON, CARIBOO—Ditto.
IN VANCOUVER ISLAND.
VICTORIA—Bank of British Columbia.
NANAIMO—Ditto.
IN THE UNITED STATES.
SAN FRANCISCO—Bank of British Columbia.
PORTLAND (Oregon)—Messrs. Ladd & Tilton.
NEW YORK—Messrs. Maitland, Phelps & Co.
IN CANADA.
MONTREAL—Messrs. Gillespie, Moffatt & Co.
IN ENGLAND.
National Provincial Bank of England.
North and South Wales Bank, Liverpool.
IN SCOTLAND.
British Linen Company Bank.
IN IRELAND.
Union Bank of Ireland.
LONDON OFFICE—80 Lombard Street.
CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened for any amount not less than One Hundred Dollars.
DEPOSIT RECEIPTS, bearing interest, issued for money lodged for fixed periods.
BILLS DISCOUNTED and COLLECTED; and BILLS of EXCHANGE on Great Britain, San Francisco and New York purchased.
DRAFTS issued on all the Branches and Agencies; and CREDITS granted on Great Britain, San Francisco and New York, authorizing payment for goods shipped to the Colonies.
GOVERNMENT and other SECURITIES received for safe custody; Interest and Dividends Collected; Duties paid on goods in bond.
GOLD DUST & BARS PURCHASED,
Received on Deposit, or advances made upon them.
D. M. LANG, Manager.
New Westminster, August, 1864. au20tc

Bank of British North America.
ASSAY OFFICE, VICTORIA.
GOLD DUST MELTED & ASSAYED.
CHARGES:
For all deposits under 50 ounces $2
For all " above 50 " One quarter of one per cent.
Ores of every description carefully Assayed
CHARGES:
For each Mineral Assay $10
GOLD DUST AND BARS PURCHASED
at the current rates.
J. G. SHEPHERD, Manager.
Victoria, May 7, 1864. my18tc

NOTICE.
THE UNDERSIGNED desires to inform the public that Mr. JOHN T. SCOTT is no longer authorized to transact any business for him.
oc12tc REES REES.

LUMBER.
CONSTANTLY on hand in the New Westminster Lumber Yard a large assortment of
Rough and Dressed Lumber,
—ALSO—
DOORS AND WINDOWS OF ALL SIZES.
Bills of Lumber cut on the shortest notice, and orders from the interior promptly attended to.
J. A. R. HOMER.
New Westminster, Feb. 12th 1861.

Just Received and For Sale.
5000 lbs. CHOICE CALIFORNIA BACON.
20 Cases JEWELL & HARRISON'S LARD.
500 lbs. ENGLISH DAIRY CHEESE.
je22tc By PICHT & HOYT.

New Advertisements.

THE SUFFERER'S BEST FRIEND.
HOLLOWAY'S PILLS,
All Disorders affecting the Liver, Stomach and Bowels.
These Pills can be confidently recommended as the most simple and certain remedy for indigestion, flatulency, acidity, heartburn, colic, constipation, and all the many maladies resulting from disordered stomach or bowels. In all diseases it is of primary importance to set the stomach right. These Pills are purifiers, alternatives, and strengtheners of the stomach. They may be taken under any circumstances. Though powerfully tonic, and satisfactorily aperient, they are mild in their operation, and beneficial to the whole system.
Weakness and Debility, Nervous Irritability.
The wholesale effect exercised by these admirable Pills over the blood and fluids generally is like a charm in dispelling low spirits, and restoring cheerfulness. Their general aperient qualities well fit them for a domestic medicine, particularly for females of all ages and periods of life. They never betray any disagreeable irritating qualities; they quickly eject all impurities from the system, and regulate every function of the body, giving wonderful tone and energy to weak and debilitated persons, while they brace and strengthen the nervous system in a most extraordinary manner.
To Regain Health, Strength and Vigour.
Whenever persons find themselves in that state termed a "little out of health," and there are so many causes at work to shorten life, it is necessary that Holloway's Pills, the finest purifier of the blood ever known, should be at once taken, as they not only rid both solids and fluids of all morbid matters, but regulate all disordered actions, and strengthen the frame in a most extraordinary manner.
Old Coughs, Colds and Asthmetical Affections.
These Pills, assisted in their action by rubbing Holloway's Ointment very effectually twice a day upon the throat and chest, and keeping those parts covered with the preparation, will be found the most effectual remedy for asthma, coughs, colds, bronchitis, and influenza. These remedies tranquilize the hurried breathing, soothe the irritated air-tubes, and assist in dislodging the phlegm which stops up the air-passages. This treatment has proved wonderfully efficient in not only curing old settled colds, but asthma of many years standing, and even when patients who were in so bad a state as not able to lie down on their beds lest they be choked with phlegm.
Derangement and Distention of the Bowels, Flatulency Diarrhœa and Dysentery.
Any symptoms of the above complaints should be immediately met by appropriate doses of these Pills, according to the printed directions: delay may be followed by disasterous consequences. These Pills are a certain remedy for all the ailments of the alimentary canal, they secure the thorough digestion of the food, and act most kindly on the stomach, liver, bowels and kidneys. As a household medicine they are unrivalled, and should always be at hand.
Very Important, of Costiveness Beware.
Rarely but little notice is taken of costiveness, yet, at certain periods, it is a sure sign that danger is near. All who ere seized with apoplexy and paralysis, have previously suffered from costiveness. In the former case the blood flies to the head a small vein is ruptured on the brain, and we know the rest. Let wives counsel their husbands, and husbands their wives, never to go to bed a second night, if the bowels have not been properly moved during the day, particularly if they feel heavy and drowsy. A few gentle doses of these fine Pills will regulate the circulation of the blood, and all dangerous symptoms.
Holloway's Pills are the best remedy known in the world for the following diseases:—

Ague	Female Irregularities	Retention of Urine
Asthma	Fevers of all kinds	Scrofula, or King's Evil
Bilious Complaints	Fits	Sore Throats
Blotches on the skin	Gout	Stone and Gravel
Bowel Complaints	Head-ache	Secondary Symptoms
Colics	Indigestion	Tic Douloureux
Constipation of the Bowels	Inflammation	Tumours
Consumption	Jaundice	Ulcers
Debility	Liver Complaints	Venereal Affections
Dropsy	Lumbago	Worms of all kinds
Dysentery	Piles	Weakness, from whatever cause, &c., &c.
Erysipelas	Rheumatism	

Sold at the establishment of PROFESSOR HOLLOWAY, 244, Strand, (near Temple Bar) London: also by all respectable Druggists and Dealers in medicines throughout the civilized world, at the following prices:—1s. 1½d., 2s. 9d., 4s. 6d., 11s., 22s., and 33s. each Box.
*** There is a considerable saving by taking the larger sizes.
N. B.—Directions for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to each box. au12

LOUIS HAUTIER'S
HOTEL.
—AND—
BILLIARD SALOON,
Lytton City, B. C.
THIS House is furnished in the best style, and a stock of excellent LIQUORS and CIGARS kept constantly on hand. The Billiard Tables are unsurpassed in the colony. The charges are moderate.
☞ Good Stabling, and Horses constantly on sale at low prices.
Lytton City, November 10, 1862. no12

BOSTON BAR
HOTEL,
BAKERY AND PROVISION STORE.
THE Subscribers flatter themselves that they will give entire satisfaction to all who may favor them with their patronage. A stock of the choicest
Liquors and Cigars
constantly on hand. Also, Bread, Biscuit, Cakes, Pies, etc. Prices very low.
JOLICŒUR & CO.
Boston Bar, B. C., June 25, 1861. je27

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BRITISH COLUMBIA.

NOTICE.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.
22nd October, 1864.

THE GOVERNOR directs it to be notified that it is his intention to bring before the Legislative Council a Bill revising the Land Laws of this Colony, and particularly as affecting the method of acquiring unsurveyed Crown Lands. From and after the date of this notice, until the question has been decided by the Legislature, all the Crown Lands of the Colony are reserved from pre-emption, and instructions have been given to the several Magistrates not to receive any further records of pre-emption, unless with the sanction of the Government. This sanction will be granted in every instance where it shall appear that the tranquility of the Colony, and the public interests, are not likely to be prejudiced.

By command,
CHARLES GOOD,
oc22ey for the Colonial Secretary.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
New Westminster, Sept. 27, 1864.

THE GOVERNOR has before him a proposal for the establishment of steam communication between Panama and New Westminster, and is of opinion that terms acceptable to the Colony may be secured, if Coal be found within a reasonable distance of the navigable portion of Fraser River.

Notice is, therefore, hereby given that a reward of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS will be granted for the discovery of a SEAM of COAL, fit for steaming purposes, and capable of being worked with advantage, within one mile of Fraser River, at or below Yale, or within a mile of Burard's Inlet.

This reward may be increased should the Coal be discovered within convenient proximity of the spot to which it is proposed that the Steam Vessels should resort.

The Governor in Council to be the sole judge as to whether the Premium is to be awarded.

By command,
CHARLES GOOD,
se28 3m for the Colonial Secretary.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
New Westminster, June 2nd, 1864.

IN PURSUANCE OF CERTAIN RESOLUTIONS OF the Legislative Council, passed during the late session, the Governor has authorized the following Premiums to be offered with the view of developing the resources of, and stimulating industry throughout, the Colony:—

1. A Premium of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS (£500) to be paid to any person or persons who shall be the first to show to the satisfaction of the Government that he or they have successfully worked by machinery a VEIN OF QUARTZ producing either Gold or Silver, within the Colony of British Columbia.

2. A Premium of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS (£500) to be paid to any person or persons who shall be the first to show to the satisfaction of the Government that he or they have successfully worked any COAL MINE within the Colony of British Columbia, and have *bona fide* produced from such mine Two Hundred (200) tons of good Coal, and have shipped the same to any Port beyond the limits of the Colony.

3. A Premium of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS (£500) to be paid to any person or persons who shall prove to the satisfaction of the Government that he or they have been the first to complete in a *bona fide* manner the building of a VESSEL, within the Colony of British Columbia, of not less than Five Hundred (500) tons burthen.

4. A Premium of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS (£500) to any person or persons who shall prove to the satisfaction of the Government that he or they have been the first to find any new ALLUVIAL MINING DISTRICT sufficiently extensive to give remunerative labor to Five Hundred (500) men for a period of not less than Six (6) months.

The Governor in Council to be the sole judge as to whether any of the above Premiums are to be awarded.

By His Excellency's command,
je4 ARTHUR N. BIRCH.

WILLIAM CLARKSON,
REAL ESTATE
AGENT.
HAS ON HAND OVER THIRTY VERY VALUABLE Town Lots. Any person wishing to purchase either improved or non-improved
CITY OR RURAL LANDS
will find it to their advantage to call upon Mr. C. for full particulars of situation, prices, &c., &c., se3tc

A CARD!
To the Editor of the British Columbian.
SIR:—As large and mighty advertisements have of late become so common, we think it an almost unwarrantable proceeding to inform the public that we have superseded the Town Council in C. Millard's stone building, where consigned goods in great variety and of the latest fashion must be sold.
Auction Sales will be held twice a week, commencing on Wednesday, 5th instant, at noon.
oc1tc HOOPER & CO.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE COPARTNERSHIP hitherto existing between LOUIS BONSON and DANIEL RICHARDS, under the style of "Bonson & Richards," Carpenters, Joiners and Cabinet Makers, in the city of New Westminster, has been dissolved. All accounts of the late firm will be settled by the undersigned.
LOUIS BONSON.
New Westminster, November 3, 1864. no5 1m

New Advertisements.

ALL CURES MADE EASY!!
HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT.
Bad Legs, Ulcerous Sores, Bad Breasts and Old Wounds.
No description of wound, sore, or ulcer can resist the healing properties of this excellent Ointment. The worst cases readily assume a healthy appearance whenever this medicament is applied; sound flesh springs up from the bottom of the wound, inflammation of the surrounding skin is arrested, and a complete and permanent cure quickly follows the use of the Ointment.
Piles, Fistulas and Internal Inflammation.
These distressing and weakening diseases may with certainty be cured by the sufferers themselves, if they will use Holloway's Ointment, and closely attend to the printed instructions. It should be well rubbed upon the neighbouring parts, when all obnoxious matter will be removed. A poultice of bread and water may sometimes be applied at bed time with advantage; and most scrupulous cleanliness must be observed. If those who read this paragraph will bring it under the notice of such of their acquaintances whom it may concern, they will render a service that will never be forgotten, as a cure is certain.
Rheumatism, Gout & Neuralgia.
Nothing has the power of reducing inflammation and subduing pain in these complaints in the same degree as Holloway's cooling Ointment and purifying Pills. When used simultaneously they drive all inflammation and depravities from the system, subdue and remove all enlargement of the joints, and leave the sinews and muscles lax and uncontracted. A cure may always be effected, even under the worst circumstances, if the use of these medicines be persevered in.
Eruptions, Scald Head, Ringworm & other Skin Diseases.
After fomentation with warm water, utmost relief and speediest cure can be readily obtained in all complaints affecting the skin and joints, by the simultaneous use of the Ointment and Pills. But it must be remembered that nearly all skin diseases indicate the depravity of the blood and derangement of the liver and stomach, consequently, in many cases, time is required to purify the blood, which will be effected by a judicious use of the Pills. The general health will be readily improved, although the eruption may be driven out more freely than before, and which should not be promoted; perseverance is necessary.
Sore Throats, Diptheria, Quinsey, Mumps & all other Derangements of the Throat.
On the appearance of any of these maladies the Ointment should be well rubbed at least three times a day upon the neck and upper part of the chest, so as to penetrate to the glands, as salt is forced into meat: this course will at once remove inflammation and ulceration. The worst cases will yield to this treatment by following the printed directions.
Scrofula or King's Evil and Swelling of the Glands.
This class of cases may be cured by Holloway's purifying Pills and Ointment, as their double action of purifying the blood and strengthening the system renders them more suitable than any other remedy for all complaints of a scrofulous nature. As the blood is impure the liver, stomach and bowels, being much deranged, require purifying medicine to bring about a cure.
Both the Ointment and Pills should be used in the following cases:—

Bad Legs.	Chapped Hands.	Scalds.
Bad Breasts.	Contracted and Stiff Joints.	Sore Nipples.
Burns.	Elephantiasis.	Sore-throats.
Bunions.	Fistulas.	Skin-diseases.
Bite of Mosquitoes and Sand-Flies.	Gout.	Scurvy.
Coco-bay.	Glandular Swellings.	Sore-heads.
Chiego-foot.	Lumbago.	Tumors
Corns (soft).	Piles.	Ulcers.
Cancers.	Rheumatism.	Wounds.
Chilblains.		Yaws.

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N. B.—Directions for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to each Pot. au18

CIRCULAR.
FORT HOPE INDEPENDENT
PROSPECTING ASSOCIATION!

ALTHOUGH GOVERNMENT OFFERS A REWARD of £500 for the discovery of Alluvial Gold Mines, and Governor Seymour has appropriated $200 to aid in prospecting the District of Fort Hope, still great apathy exists amongst the miners and people generally. With a view to stimulate prospecting further, I engaged and sent out, on the 4th instant, two practical miners and one Indian to prospect on the tributaries of the Skaget River, about 25 miles east of this town, furnishing them with food, tools and $1 per day each, with the inducement that, as we are working independently of Government aid, if they can discover such mines as will enable the Association to claim the reward, whatever amount over expenses can be got shall be divided *pro rata* between the Subscribers and Discoverers, rating the latter at the average of the former.

The expense of the present expedition is calculated not to exceed five dollars per day; and if sufficient subscribers should come forward, similar expeditions will be sent to other localities. Progress of the expedition and statement of accounts will be furnished to the subscribers at regular intervals.

JOHN CORRY.
Fort Hope, October 7, 1864. oc15

SUBSCRIBERS TO FORT HOPE INDEPENDENT PROSPECTING ASSOCIATION.

John Corry & Brother, Provisions and Tolls	$50 00
Captain Irving, Steamer "Reliance"	15 00
Christopher Lee, do	10 00
John Worth, Fort Hope	10 00
George Landvoigt, do	10 00
William Charles do	10 00

Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between S. Popper and Charles Brooks, in the Saloon business at Mouth of Quesnelle, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts against the late firm up to this date will be paid by the said Simon Popper, and all accounts due will be collected by him.

Witness, SIMON POPPER.
LEWIS WILDE. CHAS. BROOKS.
Mouth of Quesnelle, Sept. 26, 1864. oc8 1m

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